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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Office Action mailed September 30, 2002,
please amend the application as follows:

REPLACEMENT PARAGRAPH(S), SECTION(S) AND CLAIM(S):

In the Claims:

Claims 1 through 5 are pending without amendment.

- Sub B1
- 1 6. An information system under affective control as in claim
 - 2 5, wherein said means for changing the operation of the application
 - 3 program comprises means for marking text if the apparent affective
 - 4 state of the user indicates that the text should be marked.